

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

Date: 7/21/03

Oral Caglar, Reg. No. 44,577

RECEIVED
JUL 28 2003
GROUP 1700

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 050-00-007

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Alex Lobovsky, et al. Appln. No.: 10/052,746 Filing Date: January 18, 2002 For: NON-WOVEN SHAPED FIBER MEDIA LOADED WITH EXPANDED POLYMER MICROSPHERES	Group Art Unit: 1775 Examiner: N/A Confirmation No.: 3263
--	---

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed. The cited documents were identified in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application. For the Examiner's consideration, a copy of this communication, mailed July 3, 2003, is enclosed herewith. This Information Disclosure Statement is not a representation that any or all of the information cited herein is necessarily effective as prior art against the subject application.

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97(c), because this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a final action under § 1.113, a notice of allowance under § 1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, and given the statement below under 37 CFR § 1.97(e), Applicant is entitled to consideration of the cited information.

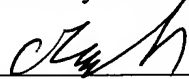
In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97(e)(1), Applicant hereby states that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Applicant believes that neither a petition nor payment of a fee is necessary for consideration of the cited information. If, however, it is determined that a petition and/or payment of a fee is necessary for consideration of the cited information, Applicant respectfully requests that this paper be treated as such petition and/or that such fee be charged to Deposit Account No. 01-1125. For example, if, unbeknownst to Applicant, this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of a final action under § 1.113, a notice of allowance under § 1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, Applicant requests that the required fee under § 1.17(p) be charged to Deposit Account No. 01-1125. Moreover, the Commissioner is explicitly authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 01-1125 for any other fee shortages.

Applicant respectfully requests that the cited documents be considered by the Examiner, and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

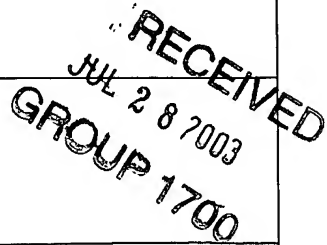
Date: 7/20/03

Respectfully submitted,



Oral Caglar
Attorney for Applicant
Reg. No. 44,577

Honeywell International Inc.
Patent Services AB-2B
101 Columbia Road
P.O. Box 2245
Morristown, NJ 07962-2245
Telephone: (310) 512-4886
Facsimile: (310) 512-3857



FORM PTO-1449 (MODIFIED)	ATTY. DOCKET NO. 050-00-007	APPLN. NO. 10/052,746
LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR APPLICANTS INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (USE SEVERAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY)	APPLICANT Alex Lobovsky, et al.	
	FILING DATE: 1/18/02	GROUP ART UNIT: 1775

Reference Designation

U.S. Patents

Examiner Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Filing Date Subclass if appropriate
	AA 4,108,806	8/1978	Cohrs et al.	521/54	
	AB				
	AC				
	AD				
	AE				
	AF				
	AG				
	AH				
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
	Document Number	Date	Country	Translation	Filing Date Subclass if appropriate
	AI WO 93 00390	01/1993	WIPO	English	
	AJ WO 01 57301	08/2001	WIPO	English	
	AK WO 01 90464	11/2001	WIPO	English	
	AL				
	AM				
	AN				
	AO				
	AP				
	AQ				
OTHER ART (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)					
	AR				
	AS				
	AT				
EXAMINER			DATE CONSIDERED		
EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.					